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In re PATENT APPLICATION of

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The Examiner's attention is directed to the following application(s) of:

Examiner's Initials*	FIRST INVENTOR (Last Name Only)	APPLICATION NO. (Series Code/Serial No.)
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- ☐ Yes ☐ No Add ¶ E (from CMPPP) re > 3 mons. from filing date)
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Consideration of each listed application is earnestly solicited since unpublished patent applications are contemplated as IDS material; see the exception in Rule 98(a)(ii) and note the penultimate sentence of MPEP 609.

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